

ABSTRACT

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In my Graduation Theses I have tried to summarize existing basic knowledge of methods of preventing conception available in the Czech Republic. In the introduction of my Graduation Theses I have made a sketch of a woman's reproductive system and function of hormones in woman's organism.

I have paid less attention to the methods which are used less and on the other hand I have focused on description of the methods which are used most often, and not only in the Czech Republic. For each group of contraception I have described the method, the mechanism of its effect, reliability of the method, the way of usage, pros and cons of the method, indications and contra-indications, eventually some other characteristics of the contraceptive method.

I have supplied the theoretical knowledge with pictures and tables. At the end of each chapter I have named a list of contemporary registered preparations.

The last chapter deals with the way the progress of contraception is going to proceed in the future.